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COMPOUNDS FOR THE THERAPEUTIC
AND PROPHYLACTIC TREATMENT OF
INFECTIONS

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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2007, the time for a response to which has been extended to and through January 28, 2008. This response is timely filed on Monday, January 28, 2008 with a three month extension of time for reply. The original extended due date, January 27, 2008 fell on a Sunday. Monday, January 28, 2008 is the next succeeding day the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is open for business.

Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.